### LONG WORK DONE

Mrs. Minnie C. Price, Topeka's Oldest Teacher, Dead.

Expired Suddenly at 4 A. M. of Diabetes.

TAUGHT 38 YEARS.

Has Always Been in the Primary Grades.

Funeral to Be Monday at Congregational Church.

Mrs. Minnie C. Price, the oldest teacher in the city schools if not the oldest teacher in the state in years of service, died at her home, 635 Tyler street this morning at 4 o'clock of diabetes after an absence from her duties of teacher of less than 48 hours. Thursday she complained of feeling ill but taught her classes, and it was only on the earnest solicitation of her friends that she did not go to her



C. Price, the Oldest the City Schools, Who her in

For a number of years she has suf-fered from the trouble which suddenly ended her life this morning, but during the entire period she never missed a day from her duties as a teacher. She began teaching in the old Harrison street school house in the fall of 1869 and has taught there continuously since excepting one term when she taught at the Jackson street school and a part of another when she was compelled to be absent from her school duties on account of the illness and subsequent death of her husband and

mother of consumption.
At the time of her death she had markable is the fact that her teaching during all those years was confined to the primary grades. Topeka was never blessed with a better educator and shape left a marked impress upon school principles and methods. She enjoyed for the last twenty years of her life the distinction of being the foremost primary teacher in Kansas. The immenses labor involved was performed by a woman sixty-four years of age at her death, who, in addition, directed. pupils in her classes who were the grandchildren of some of those who, as

day afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and she will be buried beside her husband in Macomb, Illinois. In recognition of her long and valuable term of service the school authorities have dismissed the city schools for Monday afternoon and the teachers will attend the funeral in case. Had he reported his case as it

#### Cured of Blood Poison and Rheumatism By Salvar

Kansas City, Mo., July 15, 1907.

The Salvar Company, St. Louis, Mo.
Gentlemen—Having suffered for the past
12 years with blood poison and rheumatism and having spent hundreds of doilars with only temporary relief. I think I
am in a position to judge a good remedy
after taking one bottle of Salvar I realized more and enjoyed better health from
this single bottle than I did in 10 years
of doctoring almost constant treatment
with the best physicians all over the
country. I can highly recommend your
remedy to all suffering as I did and will
be only too glad to answer the correspondence of any who are the least skeptical regarding the real merit of your prepstration. Yours very truly.

L. E. HOLLAND.

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Kansas City.

J. A. Polley, General Agent. 105 E. Fifth St. Topeka, Kan.

FLOUR FROM TOPEKA MILLS. Syl Dixon Will Take East Thirty-eight Carloads of Kansas Product.

Four car loads of flour from Topeka mills will accompany Syl Dixon on his advertising trip through the country to New York city. From other mills of the state, 34 more cars will be collected. This flour will constitute one of the exhibits of the state, and will be sold later on. The following is a list of the mills which will send flour:

From Topeka, Topeka Milling Co., 1, Crosby Milling Co., 2, Mid-Continent mills 1; from Hutchinson, Hutchinson Milling Co., 2, Monarch Milling Co., 2, Kelley Milling Co., 3; from Lawrence,

#### ZANDITON'S OPENING.

Confident of Great Future in His New Store.

"I am going to have the biggest store in Topeka within three years. I know it. I would bet my life on it," said E. L. Zanditon, who opened this morning the doors of the new Zanditon department store, 612-614 Kansas avenue. After the performance it was found that the box office receipts would not

With all the confidence that only a With all the confidence that only a feeling of surety could inspire Mr. Zanditon reaffirmed his belief that within the space of a few brief years he would have one of the largest department stores and would be occupying the entire five floors of the new Crawford building in which the store

s located At present the department store oc cupies the first floor only, with a floor space 50 by 65 feet but on the 15th of November a department will be opened in the basement which will provide space for the sale of carpets, rugs and the usual household furnishings in addition to the smaller articles in the way of dishes, tinware and cutlery.

several contracts in Dockstader's name, The signature on the contract which the signature on the contract which was signed "Lew Dockstader, per G. W. W." Dockstader claims that Walker signed the contract without authority and that Walker should stand responsible for the payment. ay of dishes, tinware and cutlery.

At present a full line of ladies' ap-

parel, ready made as well as the usual lines, millinery, cloaks, men's clothing, furnishings and shoes for both til it finally men and women are carried. As the

occasion demands these various lines will be increased and elaborated.
"We are carrying a \$100,000 stock of goods and every bit of it is fresh." said Mr. Zanditon. "Not a piece of the goods in the house but what is new and fresh and for the first time on dis-play here today. We opened our doors at 10 o'clock this morning for the first time. Though the weather is rather unfavorable our first day's sales are up to expectations and very satisfactory." Eight years ago Mr. Zanditon came to Topeka in search of a busi-ness location. He had been traveling for a dry goods house but his health falled and he was forced to quit the road. He secured a stock of goods labor involved was performed by a woman sixty-four years of age at her death, who, in addition, directed all her household affairs. She was a member of the First Congregational church and a practical, every day Christian and good woman, bright, cheerful, entertairing, the best of companions and most failthful of friends.

In 1866 she was married to Herschel C. Price, foreman of the composing room of the Commonwealth Printing company, who died in 1876. She leaves the company who died in 1876. She leaves the companion of the company who died in 1876. She leaves the company who died in 1876. She leaves the companion of the company are all later at 110 East Sixth avenue. At one time the operated eleven stores in the summer of the president. Neil O'Brien is another blackface compedian who runs Dockstader a pretty fast heat for the favorite. He is a natural humorist.

The singers of the company are all good. Recce Prosser and Will Oakland made great hits with the crowd. The house was crowded to its capacity and any return to Topeka by Dockstader and his ministrel troupe would find a hearty welcome. company, who died in 1876. She leaves three sisters surviving her, Mrs. Emma Fletcher of Decatur, Illinois, Mrs. Mary Hewitt of Ashland, Illinois, and Mrs. Sadie Kellam of South Dakota, and one brother.

The funeral services will be held in the First Congregational church Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and she day afternoon a

Mr. Polley Explains

To the Editor of the State Journal: case. was. I should not have sold to him un-til I heard from the Salvar company. His disease is one that is supposed to these were sold to the highest bidders Recount Was Started and Stopped
When Found He Was Going to Win.

H. V. Lawrence, the Democrat who is hanging to the office of county treasurer of Finney county, in spite of the fact that the office is claimed by A. C. Wheeler, a Republican, today filed in the supreme court of the state his answer to the mandamus proceeding brought by the county commissioners of Finney county to compel him to turn over the office.

Lawrence claims that he was legally

His disease is one that is supposed to be incurable. It is ossification and there is not a physician of reputation and standing in the city that will diagnose his case as rheumatism, in any form. The Salvar will cure any case of muscular rheumatism, in any form, no matter of how long a standing. I am no patent medicine doctor or any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any seems. It is a remedy for blood poison and rheumatism and its effectiveness in curing these two diseases has been demonstrated thoroughly. With regard to Mr. Erhart will say that he commissioners of Mr. Erhart will say that he commission contents afterwards partaken of these were sold to the highest bidders and the contents afterwards partaken of by the successful bidders along with the one who had provided the lunch. Following this came several value will cure any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar is not a patent medicine in any other. Salvar will save the following the contents afterwards partaken of the successful block is not the successful block following the contents and the contents and the contents and the

> Weekly Bank Statement. New York, Oct. 25.—The statement of clearing house banks for the week shows that the banks hold \$1,233,300 less than the legal reserve requirements. This is a decrease of \$12,415,-

ments. This is a decrease of \$12,415,-950 as compared with last week. The statement follows:
Loans, \$1,087,711,000; increase, \$10,864,700. Deposits, \$1,023,772,000; decrease, \$1,939,400. Circulation \$51,398,300; decrease, \$214,900. Legal tenders, \$58,283,700; decrease, \$3,973,500. Specie, \$196,426,000; decrease, \$8,927,300. Reserve, \$254,709,700, decrease, \$12,900,800. Reserve required, \$255,943,000; decrease, \$1,484,850. Deficit, \$1,233,300; decrease, \$12,415,950. Surplus Ex U. S. deposits, \$10,782,600; decrease, \$9,012,575.

Fall in, M. W. A.!

Sunflower Camp, 536 and Shawnee camp, 2800, invite all members of the Modern Woodmen of America to join them in their annual jubilee Wednes-day evening, October 30. Meet us at Third and Kansas avenue. Marshall's band will lead the parade to the audi-torium. Fall in! Parade will move at 7:30 p. m. sharp.

The Gem laundry again in operation.

### SHERIFF TIED UP CASH.

Attached Dockstader Receipts - An Excellent Minstrel Show.

The box office receipts of the Dock-stader Minstrel company together with the stage scenery were attached last night by Sheriff Wilkerson and a force of deputies. This was done to satisfy a claim of D. C. Scott who claims that Dockstader is indebted to him to the

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ground that no services the dered.

The first intimation which Mr. Dockstader had of the affair came last night just before the play commenced. Sheriff Wilkerson accompanied by Deputy Sheriffs Ward and Monroe arrived at the box office where they presented Roy Crawford with the papers in the case.

Mr. Crawford called the attention of C. D. Wilson, press agent of Mr. Dockstad wordy com-

After the performance it was found that the box office receipts would not justify the claim and accordingly Mr. Wilkerson attached the scenery of the commany.

Wilkerson attached the scenery of the company. Dockstader arranged for bond in the sum of \$1,728, which was furnished by Mrs. L. M. Crawford.

According to the version of the story by Mr. Dockstader he planned to take hold of the Williams & Walker company in 1905 but the scheme failed to finally materialize. Williams & Walker made several contracts in Dockstader's name.

From the time the curtain rose on the first act at the Grand last night un-til it finally dropped at the end of the there was not a dull mo ten and women are carried. As the performance there was not a difficult in the Lew Dockstader minstrel in the Lew Dockstader minstrel in the Lew Dockstader and his show last night. show last night. Dockstader and his inimitable minstrels have appeared in Topeka many times before but they have never shown up as well as last night. Something doing all the time is a feature with the Dockstader show which is almost unknown in a minstrel

show The first portion of the performance last night was marked by the most elaborate staging which has been seen in Topeka this season. "The Temple of Gems" was up to advance notices. The minstrel show is all confined to the first part of the entertainment. The old fashioned juggling and acrobatic stunts which have characterized minstrel shows from time immemorial have been discontinued and have been superseded

The Eagles had a big time Thursday evening at their club house on Quincy

street. The large barn on the rear of the per in regard to the Nick Erhart Had he reported his case as it into a large dance room was the scene

swer to the mandamus proceeding brought by the county commissioners of Finney county to compel him to turn over the office.

Lawrence claims that he was legally elected county treasurer, but that the returns gave Wheeler 22 plurality. A recount of the votes was started, and continued until Wheeler's plurality had been reduced to 5. At that stage of the game, Lawrence claims the recount was stopped, because the tellers were Republicans and did not want to count their man out. He says that he has been unable to get the recount continued, and therefore refused to turn over the office.

The state charter board met Friday afternoon and granted papers to the following concerns:

Omaha Rubber company, Omaha, \$125,000: Star Mfg. Amusement competiting along met. The neighbors of Mr. Erhart also reported to me Monday when I was out there that he was getting along well. At the trial he showed no signs of his aliment although his disease is not curable. Ossification is a hardening of the bones and muscles. I was requested to bring a second bottle to him as the first had not benefited him at all as reported to me by Erhart before I know Lumber Co., Cawker City, \$20,000: Automobile Livery Co., Cawker City, \$10,000: Wentern Land Co., Burlington, \$20,000: Automobile Livery Co., Cawker City, \$10,000: Wentern Land Co., Burlington, \$20,000: Automobile Livery Co., Cawker City, \$10,000: Farmers' Union Co-operative association, Gray and Finney counties, \$10,000: Farmers' Union Co-operative association, Gray and Finney Co., Richalland, \$10,000: Farmers' State bank, Olsburg, \$10,000: Bonner Springs Athlean Colburg, \$10,000: Bonner S

Gem laundry is again in operation

### OFFICE MAN

Filing your letters is not such an easy matter. Nine times out of ten it's the method that's wrong. May be you are using old methods long ago discarded. There is only one way to file letters-that's by the Vertical Filing System. We have that system—Shaw-Walker.

M. L. ZERCHER BOOK AND STATIONERY CO.

> Books, Stationery and Office Supplies.

#### TRADE IS QUIETER.

Warm Weather and Crop Holding Retard Business.

New York, Oct. 26 .- Bradstree Trade and industry have tended to-ward quiet, in sympathy with reports of financial unsettlement at New York and a few other cities. The contin-uance of mild weather, affecting as it does retail distribution; the natural seasonable slowing down of jobbing trade and collections, and the continuance of the holding movement of crops, make for quieter trade. On the other hand, the financial situation at New York, generally speaking seems to be well in hand and the New York to be well in hand and the New York banks under courageous and experienced leadership are meeting conditions as they arise. The recent decline in prices of cereals and cotton have encouraged foreign demand for the country's products; the holdings of cotton, a great exchange making medium, is showing some signs of relaxing and lowered prices of domestic commodities lead to the hope that the

laxing and lowered prices of domestic commodities lead to the hope that the demand of a prosperous country affected by the unduly high level of some commodities, will revive.

Iron and steel are dull. New business is not offering freely and new low levels have been struck by copper without bringing much new business. Large exports of this commodity, it is claimed, reflect desire to change the scene of carrying it from this country scene of carrying it from this country

Business failures for the week ending October 24 number 217, against 194 last week, 184 in the like week of 1906, 178 in 1905, 180 in 1904, and 217 in 1903. Canada failures for the week number 39 as against 36 last week and

number 39 as against 36 last week and 29 in this week a year ago.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending October 24 aggregate 4.765,589 bushels against 4.964,062 last week, 5,180,817 this week last year and 4.952,134 in 1901. For the first 17 weeks of the fiscal year the experience of the first bushels against ports are 63,475,466 bushels, against 58,173,587 in 1996-7 and 99,318,598 in 1991-2. Corn exports for the week are 749.122 bushels against 572,825 last week and 1,495,111 in 1996. For the fiscal year to date the exports are 16. 693,933 bushels against 13,316,938 in

Bank Clearings.

Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending October 25 shows an aggregate of \$3,195,610,000 as against \$3,035,235,000 for the week and \$3,219,857,000 in the corresponding week last year. Canadian clearings for the week total \$35,686,000 as against \$39,019,000 last week and \$85,571,000 in the same week last year.

Cities— Clearings Inc. Dec.

Cities- New York	Clearings.	Inc.	Dec
New York	\$1,948,289,000		7.
Chicago	264,964,000	20.1	
Boston			8.0
Philadelphia	151,269,000	1.9	***
St. Louis		22.3	***
Pittsburg		7.9	2.
San Francisco		2225	2.5
Baltimore	32,810,000	21.2	***
Kansas City	40,892,000	36.7	
Cincinnati	27,524,000	10.8	***
Cincinnati New Orleans	20,351,000	****	16.
Minneapolis	36,016,000	45.1	10.000
Cleveland	17,731,000	14.6	
Louisville	13,432,000	8.5	200
Detroit	14,768,000	26.4	4.44
Los Angeles	11,185,000	1.0	***
Omaha Milwaukee	12,680,000	25.9	
Milwaukee	13,119,000	26.4	
Seattle	11,980,000	21.2	
St. Paul	12,054,000	13.1	
Providence		18.0	***
Buffalo	9,363,000	18.3	
Indianapolis	7,614,000	18.3	
Denver	10,835,000	83.9	***
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Richmond		17.8	
Washington		15.8	1. 1.44
Salt Lake City		11.1	(6)400
Portland, Ore	9,350,000	12555	***
Columbus, O	5,859,000	24.1	
St. Joseph	5,182,000	14.5	(#04040
Memphis	7,033,000	27.0	***
Memphis Atlanta	6,106,000	11.6	+++
Spokane. Wash	7,094,000	29.7	
Toledo, O	4,064,000	1.2	***
Tacoma	5,964,000	30.5	1000
Nashville	4,387,000	30.4	***
Des Moines	3,273,000	34.3	***
Grand Rapids	2,523,000	9.0	
Dayton	1,790,000	4.4	
Portland, Mee	2,250,000	30.1	***
Wichita	1,545,000	53.0	+ + ×
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The unsettled financial conditions in the east has caused a nervous and exciting wheat market during the past exciting wheat market during the past week. The wide range and quick price changes describe the nervous condition of the trade and the uncer-tainty as to the future course of the market. Receipts in the northwest were liberal and exceeded expectations. The price for the December option shows a decline of over 5 cents less than one week are

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Foreign markets continue to hold strong. The legitimate conditions seem to warrant higher prices than we are now having, but will the legitimate conditions be able to prevail over the financial situation? That is the question before us now and only time can financial situation? That is the ques-tion before us now and only time can tell. Corn like wheat has also been influenced by the financial trouble in the east. Disappointing husking re-turns come from Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. The Cincinnati Price Current, however, says there is little husk-ing as yet, and crop information will maintain previous calculations.

For the information of speculators and grain dealers I give here below the wheat and corn crops in full to-gether with the average price since

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Liquidation in the stock market continued all through the week and there was general spilling out of stocks all along the line. Union Pastocks all along the line. Union Pa-cific was depressed to par. Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, Santa Fe, Northern Pacific and many others suf-fered material declines. The cause of the selling seems to be the mistrust occasioned by the meetings of prominent financiers during the week at New York to readjust or rather to steady the affairs of some of the trust companies. A New York correspon-dent wires as follows:

dent wires as follows:

"There has been considerable inside talk going on for some time about the affairs of the Knickerbocker Trust company, and it was no surprise that a new president was elected to assure the solvency of the concern. The selling of stocks during the past few days comes from various sources. Part of it was by people of small means who overplayed on small margins; part of it was by people of small means who overplayed on small margins; part of it was short selling, and a considerable portion represented the forced selling of rich men, who were compelled to set themselves right with their associates. In spite of the weakness, however, the buying of stocks today continued very good; houses which have no bear affiliations bought.

stocks heavily. The Morgan and Vanderbilt brokers are reported to be picking up stocks at these prices in good sized chunks. The Standard Oil company are also reported as steady

company are also reported as steady purchasers in many quarters.

We are facing a very remarkable situation; the trouble lies not in the country at large or its business affairs, but right in Wall street, New York City. This trouble is grossly exaggerated. A few individuals like Heinze, Moss, et al have over extended themselves like school boys. One or two banks have done things which bankers have no right to do and consequently unthinking people are ready to damn the whole financial structure. The elimination of these sores on the financial body is healthful and reasonable and the greatest assurance reasonable and the greatest assurance of ultimate soundness, but when the great majority of honorable business men get together and insist on bank-ers observing the laws and conduct-ing their affairs as they should be con-ducted, people grow panic stricken and view the whole matter with a

aundisced eye.
When the Nickerbocker Trust com pany closed its doors the other day the frightened public argued not that a weak spot was elliminated; not that the concern will yet prove solvent, but that this failure was the forerunner of a long line of disasters. There is nothing in this. Everything is al-right. The bank situation was never nothing in this. Everything is alright. The bank situation was never
so strong as it is today and every time
a lame duck is chased out we are that
much stronger. The cobwebs are being swept down and the country will
go along just the same and corn will
be grown in the west whether Wall
street has trouble or not."

street has trouble or not."

The writer has been predicting the slump that is now going on in the stock market for some time. But I did not think that prices would, be carried so low for the glit edge dividend paying stock. We are only called on to face affairs of this kind once in five or ten years. My only concern is at present that my friends will participate in the almost universal fright of the hour and make foolish sacrifices. It is the time to buy stocks not to sell them. And no such golden opportunities to make purchases for investment has been presented since 1893.

Weekly Market Letter. [Furnished by J. E. Gall, Commissions, Grains, Provisions, Cotton and Stocks. Office 110 West Sixth street, Phone 486.]

Kansas City, Kan., Oct. 24.—WHEAT
—To review the market this week,
based on routine commercial news, statistics or legitimate considerations,
would be virtually a waste of effort.
The "paramount factor," as a certain
presidential candidate would say, was
Wall street. That was the great issue
during the week, the vital force, the
prime lever that swung prices downward. For the first time in years the
eyes of the speculative grain trade were
centered on the stock ticker; many
times heretofore it was the reverse and
Wall street closely watched the grain
ticker. The tremendous slump in securities ruthlessly swept aside all
legitimate influences in the wheat market and, although the general situaket and, although the general situalegitimate innuences in the ket and, although the general situation is now as strong as ever, wheat is off several cents for the week. But, in one sense it's a "blessing in disguise" to the bulls, for it placed wheat on the "bargain counter" or, as one prominent speculator expressed it, "Buying new December wheat under \$1 is like finding money in the street." Thursday afternoon it was down to 98½c. Several times heretofore it went below \$1, only to quickly rally 6c or 7c. Europe is snapping it up quickly, believing it very cheap, and all export offers up to today are accepted. Clearances centinue enormous, around 5,000,000 bushels a week. One authority estimates that our exportable surplus Sait Lake City. 7,348,000 11.1 5,000,000 bushels a week. One authority 5,000,000 bushels a week. One authority 5,000,000 bushels a week. One authority 6,000,000 bushels a week. One authority 5,000,000 bushels a week. One authority 5,000,000 bushels a week. One authority 5,000,000 bushels surplus estimates that our exportable surplus estimates that our exportable surplus 6,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,000,000 bushels less than a year ago. 1 World's visible supply of wheat 20,0 Argentine: Prospects there lair appresent and the harvest begins in a few weeks. Should anything serious happen to the crop there the dream of the bulls might be realized. Western

few weeks. Should anything serious happen to the crop there the dream of the bulls might be realized. Western wheat receipts decreasing constantly. Minneapolis, Duluth, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City will get about 1,000 cars less this week than a year ago. Cash wheat at these markets is very strong and in sharp demand.

CORN—The inability to properly review the wheat market applies equally to corn. It was swayed by the same great influences—the Wall street panic and, as a result, corn is down about 3 cents. Not very much after all, considering that the new December is still up in the vicinity of 60c. Corn receipts continue decreasing materially and, at Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City there will be about 1,400 cars less this week than a few weeks ago. Less than 3,000,000 bushels of corn in the Chicago elevators and only 108,000 bushels of the contract grade. Kansas City public elevators have only about \$5,000 bushels of corn, and receipts here are averaging under 25 cars a day. The big decrease of nearly half a billion bushels in this year's crop should make its place for feed, as everything is abnormally high. The weather recently was ideal for the "curing" of the crop.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Chicago. Ill., Oct. 26.—WHEAT—Higher prices at Liverpool caused a firm opening today in the wheat market, but prices after a short time eased off. December wheat opened %0%c higher, at 99%09%c, sold at 99%c, and then advanced to 99%c Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 617 cars. Minneapolis, Indian and Checker receipts of 617 cars.

The market was strong all day. The hiligh point for December was \$1.00\(^4\). The close was strong, with December up ic, at \$1.00\(^4\). CORN—The corn market was dull and prices were firm because of wet weather throughout the corn belt. December corn opened \$40\circ to \(^6\)c higher, at 57\(^4\)c to 57\(^4\)c, and sold at 57\(^4\)c.

Prices held firm throughout the session. The high point for December was 58\(^4\)c. The close was strong, with December \(^6\)c higher, at 58\(^6\)c.

OATS—The onts market was dull and the prices were firm at the opening in

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# STOCK SHIPPERS

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sympathy with other grains. Later the market eased off on realizing sales. December oats opened ¼c higher, at 50%c, and sold at 50%c.

PROVISIONS—The provisions market was steady because of a 5c advance in the price of live hogs. The market eased off somewhat at the end of the first hour. January pork opened 7½c higher, at \$14.77%, and sold at \$14.67%. Lard was unchanged to 2½c higher, at \$8.50@8.52%.

Ribs were 2½c higher, at \$8.50@8.52%.

WHEAT—Cash: No. 2 red, 99%c@\$1.00%; No. 3 red, 97 @99%c; No. 2 hard, 99%c@\$1.02%; No. 3 hard, 97%c@\$1.00; No. 3 spring, 98c@\$1.07.

CORN—No. 2, 59%g60c; No. 3, 59@69%c.

RYE—Cash: 78@90c.

BARLEY—Cash: 76@96c.

Chicago Market. [Furnished by J. E. Gall, Commissions Grains, Provisions, Cotton and Stocks Office 110 West Sixth St. Phone 486.]

Open High Low Close Yes Dec May July CORN-Oct Jan May RIBS-

Kansas City Grain Market. Furnished by J. E. Gall, Commissions, Grains, Provisions, Cotton and Stocks. Office 119 West Sixth St. Phone 486.]

Kansas City, Oct. 26. Open High Low Close Yes VHEAT-July CORN-.... 51 51% 50% 50% 53% Dec May July Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 26.—CATTLE—Recelpts today 2,000 head, including 400 head of southerns Market steady. Native steers, \$4.75@6.50; southern steers, \$2.75 (4.00; southern cows. \$2.00@4.50; stockers and feeders. \$2.75@6.00; western steers, \$3.50@4.50; salves, \$2.75@6.00; western steers, \$3.50@4.50; wastern cows, \$2.35@5.75.

HOGS—Recelpts today 2,000 head. Market steady, Bulk of sales, \$5.50@5.75; pigs and light, \$5.35@5.75.

SHEEP—Recelpts today 5,000 head. Market 10c lower. Muttons, \$5.00@5.50; lambs, \$5.00@7.00; range wethers, \$4.75@5.50; fed ewes, \$4.25@5.75.

Chicago Live Stock Market.
Chicago, Oct. 26.—CATTLE—Receipts today about 300 head. Market weak. Beeves,
\$3.6067.25; cows. \$1.2065.00; calves, \$5.006
7.50; Texans. \$3.5064.40; westerns, \$3.2064.75;
stockers and feeders, \$2.4064.5.0.
HOGS—Receipts about 7,000 head. Market 5c higher. Light, \$5.5566.10; mixed,
\$5.5066.25; heavy. \$5.2566.10; rough, \$5.256
5.40; pigs. \$4.2565.55; bulk of sales, \$5.506
5.85. Chicago Live Stock Market. 8HEEP—Receipts about 2,000 head, Mar-ket weak, Native, \$2,5065,50; western, \$2,70 (3,50; yearlings, \$5,2566,00; lambs, \$4,50@ 7,25; western, \$4,50@7,20.

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Chicago Produce Market. Chicago Produce Market.
Chicago, Ill., Oct. 25.—CHEESE—Market
firm. Daisies, 15½c; Twins, 15½@15½c;
Young Americas, 15½c;
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POULTRY—Alive poultry easy. Turkeys, 13c; chickens, 9c; springs, 10c.
BUTTER—Market easy. Creamery 23@
25½c; dairy, 21½@24½c.
EGGS—Market steady. At mark, cases
included, 17½@25½c.

New York Produce Market. New York, Oct. 26.—BUTTER-Market steady. State dairy, common to fancy, steady.

CHEESE—Market firm. State full cream small, colored and white Sept. fine, 164c; ditto Oct. 18c; ditto good to prime, 154c; ditto Cot. 18c; ditto Cot. 12@15c; large colored, Sept. fine, 154c; ditto Oct., 18c; ditto white, 18c; common to prime, 13@154c.

EGGS—Morket firm. State of Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, selected, white, 85642c.

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POULTRY—Alive poultry quiet Western chickens, lic; fowls, lic; turkeys, l5c. Dressed poultry easy. Western spring Dressed poultry weak. Western spring chickens, 12@l5c; turkeys, 15@20c; fowls, 15@20c Market Gossip.
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Office 110 West Sixth St. Phone 486.] Liverpool cables: Wheat %6%d higher; corn unchanged.

New York Stock Market.

Wall St., New York, Oct. 26.—STOCKS—The stock market opened rather quiet and at higher prices than last night. Some of the gains were sharp, but, as a rule, the advances did not carry prices fully up to the early London quotations. There was a sprinkling of small losses. Louisvije and Nashville rose 2% points, Amalgamated Copper 2 points, North American and General Electric 2 points, Federal Mining preferred and American Locomotive 1½ points, Conosolidated Gas 1½ points, Union Pacific, St. Pani, Chicago Great Western preferred A and Anaconda 1 point, and Southern Railway, Atchison and American Smelting large fractions.

The improvement in prices afforded opportunity to close out some accounts, and there will be considerable selling which converged on the Hill stocks. Later on Reading and New York Central weakened and in time the entire list became heavy, with most stocks ruiling below yesterday's closing.

Great Northern preferred and Delaware New York Stock Market.

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Great Northern preferred and Delaware and Hudson were quoted 2½ points below last night. Northern Pacific 2 points, American Sugar and Great Northtrn Ore ertificates 1½ points and Missouri Pacific 1 point. National Lead rose 1 point.

The market closed irregularly strong. The market closed irregularly strong. Prices fluctuated rather feverishly after a raily on the showing of a small deficit in the bank statement, but selling pressure was not heavy and the market steadied again. There were wide changes in some inactive issues. American Smelters Securities preferred B rose 15 points, Mackay companies 6. General hemical preferred 4 points, Westinghouse Electric 3½

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points, Aemrican Tobacco preferred 2% points, St. Louis Southwestern preferred and Natic Lead preferred 2 points, Cleveland, C., C. and St. Louis 7% points, and Kansas and Texas preferred 1 point. United States Rubber secind preferred 3% points, New York Dock declined 5 points, Federal Mining preferred 4% points, American Can preferred 2% points and Colorado and Southern first preferred and Toledo, St. Louis and Western preferred 2% points.

Range of Price on Stocks.
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New York, Oct. 26.

Op'n High Low Cl'se Yes 1041/2 1045/1 102 102 1041/2 1041/2 102 102 1041/ Sugar .... Amal. Copper ... G. W. Paul R. I., com R. I., pfd. Great Northern Wabash, pfd. Mo. Pacific Am. Smelting No. Pacific N. Y. Central . Texas Pacific ... So. Pacific ... Reading ..... io. Railway ... 115 115 114% 115 156 156½ 156 156½ 15% 15% 15½ 15½ Pennsylvania ... Can. Pac. ..... C. F. I. ....

New York Money Market, New York Money Market.

New York, Oct. 26.—MONEY—Money on call nominal. Time loans nominal. Sixty days, 64:67 per cent bid and 90 days 7 per cent bid; 6 months, 6 per cent bid. CLOSE: Prime mercantile paper. 76:7% per cent; sterling exchange nominal, with actual business in bankers' bills at 34.81% 69.82% for demand and at 34.75:694.78 for 60 day bills; commercial bills, 34.74:64.76. SILVER—Bar silver, 60%c; Mexican dollars, 47%c. BONDS-Government bonds very weak.

New York Sugar and Coffee.
New York, Oct. 26.—SUGAR—Raw sugar steady. Fair refining. \$3.40; centrifugal. 96 test. \$3.90; molasses sugar. \$3.06. Refined sugar steady. Crushed, \$5.70; powdered, \$5.70; granulated, \$5.00.
COFFEE—Market quiet. No. 7 Rio, 6%c; No. 4 Santos, Sc.

Galveston, Tex., Oct. 26.—COTTON—Market steady, 13%c.
New York, Oct. 29.—COTTON—Spot cotton closed quiet. Middling uplands, \$10.96; middling gulf, \$11.20.

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EGGS AND POULTRY

[Furnished by the Topeks Packing Co., 114-116 West Laurent St.]

POULTRY—Springs, 1½02½ pounds, 11c; over 2½ pounds, 3c; hens, 3c; old roosters, 4c; ducks, 3c; geese, 7c.

EGGS—Fresh country, 18624c.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

[Furnished by J. E. Lux, 210 Kansas Ave.]

FIGS—Per box, 30c.

QUINCES—Per box, 32.50.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl, 38.75.

HONEY—Per 24 rack case, 3.6602.75.

GRAPES—Tokay, per crate, \$2.00; Almira, per bbl., \$5.5066.75; New York, per basket, \$2.000s.

CRANGES—Florida, per box, 24.500.

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LEMONS-Per box, Leffingwell, \$4.50@ 6.50.

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BANANAS-Medium sized bunches, \$2.50; large bunches, \$2.50; Jumbo, \$2.75@ 2.50.

APPLES-New York, per bbl., \$5.05@ 5.50; Canada, per bbl., \$5.00@ 7.50.

PEARS-Per bu., \$2.75.

COCOANUTS-Per dox., 75c; per sack, \$6.00.

CELERY-Jumbo, per bunch, 80c; Blue Ribbons, per bunch, 15c.

HORSERADISH ROOT-Per lb., 5c.

CABBAGE-Northern Holland, per cwt., \$1.50; domestic, per cwt., \$1.25.

TURNIPS-Per bu., 50c.

PARSNIPS-Per bu., 60c.

CARROTS-Per bu., 60c.

SWEET POTATOES-Per bu., \$5c.

ONIONS-Red or yellow, per bu., \$1.00; Spanish, per crate, \$1.60.

POTATOES-Northern Rurals, \$5c; Colorado, \$5c.

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FULL CREAM CHEESE—Kansas Y. A.,
17c; N. Y. State white, 18c; Block Swias,
18c; Limburger, 18c; Daisy, 17c; Dairy
Twin, 2 to box, 17c; Wisconsin yellow, 17c,
CANNED OYSTERS—N. Y. Extra Selects, 45c; N. Y. Counts, 50; Standard, 35c,
BULK OYSTERS—N. Y. Counts, gallon,
\$2.00; Extra Selects, \$1.90; Chesapeake
Standards, \$1.60.

Grain Market. [Furnished by J. B. Billard, corner Kan-sas ave, and Curtis St.] WHEAT-No. 2, 88@90c; No. 3, 86@88c;

No. 4, \$0682c. CORN-54c. OATS-No. 2, 43645c; No. 3, 40643c.